

ADAPTED CLINICAL GUIDELINES: CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE (PART 2)

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Abstract

Clinical guidelines are the result of coordinated decision of the experts, adapted on the background of thorough analysis of the literature data and foreign clinical guidelines such as Global Initiative for Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease (GOLD) revision of 2017, 2018 и 2019 years and Clinical Guideline No 101. Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease. Management of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease in primary and secondary care (NICE).

The first part of the consensus statement contained a revised definition of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), new classification and diagnostic approaches, the principles of complex evaluation of COPD considering spirometric classification and risk of exacerbations. The second part of the guidelines presents the algorithms of initial and follow-up therapy, novel approaches to the management of exacerbations.

The guidelines are addressed to the physicians of all levels of healthcare system: general practitioners, physicians, pulmonologists, allergologists, cardiologists and rehabilitation specialists.

Key words: chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, pathogenesis, classification, diagnosis, therapy.

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